

USSN 09/941,827

Transmittal

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
- ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the total number of months checked below [fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)] :

| Extension (months) | Fee for other than <u>small entity</u> | Fee for <u>small entity</u> |
|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> one month | \$ 110.00 | \$ 55.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> two months | \$ 390.00 | \$ 195.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months | \$ 890.00 | \$ 445.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months | \$ 1,390.00 | \$ 695.00 |
| | | Fee: <u>\$0.00</u> |

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

| Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest No. Previously Paid For | | Rate (Small Entity) | Additional Fee or | Rate (Large Entity) | Additional Fee |
|-------------------------------------|-------|--|---|------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| Total 134 | Minus | 134 | = | x 9= \$ | \$ | 0 x 18 | \$ 00 |
| Independent 51 | Minus | 51 | = | x 42= \$ | \$ | 0 x 84 | \$ 00 |

FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP CLAIM

TOTAL
ADDIT. Fee \$

or TOTAL
ADDIT. Fee \$ 00

- c. ☐ No additional fee for claims is required.
- d. ☒ Total additional fee for claims required \$ 00

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 23-2053.
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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a) and 1.10

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RESPONSE

Sir:

Applicant requests consideration of the pending claims in the above-identified patent application based on the remarks herein.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.